

For:

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PADDlicant: Converse et al.

Art Unit: 3612

Serial No.: 10/715,749

Examiner: H. L. Gutman

Filed: November 18, 2003

A BLOW MOLDED ENERGY ABSORBER

FOR A VEHICLE FRONT END

Mail Stop: Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

#### **TRANSMITTAL**

1. Transmitted herewith is:

Request For Reconsideration (7 pgs.), in response to Office Action dated March 22, 2005

Transmittal Form (3 pgs.), in duplicate

Return Post Card

#### **STATUS**

2. Applicant

claims small entity status.
is other than a small entity.

## CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY EXPRESS MAIL TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Express Mail No. EV459191306US

Date: April 28, 2005

I hereby certify that the documents listed above are being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. §1.10 on the date indicated above in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop: Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Michael Tersillo, Reg. No. 42,180

# **EXTENSION OF TERM**

3.	The proceedings he apply.	The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.13										
	(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)											
	(a) Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (Fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:)											
		ktension for response ithin:	Other than smal entity Fee	Small entity Fee (if applicable)								
		first month	\$ 120.00	\$ 60.00								
		second month	\$ 450.00	\$ 225.00								
		third month	\$ 1,020.00	\$ 510.00								
		fourth month	\$1,590.00	\$ 795.00								
		fifth month	\$2,160.00	\$1,080.00								
		_	Fee:	\$								
If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.												
. (Check and complete the next item, if applicable)												
An extension of months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.												
	Extension fee due with this request \$											
	OR											
	(b) X Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for exof time.											

# FEE FOR CLAIMS

4.			ims (37 C			s been calculated as	snown	OTHER THAN			
•		ol. I)		(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY		SMALL ENTITY			
		AIMS AINING		HIGHEST NO.							
	AF	TER DMENT		PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	r ADDITIONAL. RATE FEE	OR	ADDITIONAL RATE FEE			
	AWILIN	DMLNI	MINUS	TAIDTOR	=	x \$25.00 = \$	T OK	x \$50.00 = \$			
TOTAL INDEP.			MINUS		=	x \$100.00 = \$	-	x \$200.00 = \$			
	FIRS	T PRESEN	TATION OF	MULTIPLE DEP. (	L CLAIM	+ \$180.00 = \$	<u> </u>	+ \$360.00 = \$			
				•		TOTAL ADDITIONAL	OR	TOTAL ADDITIONAL			
	(a)	$\boxtimes$	No add	itional fee fo	r Claims	is required	<u> </u>	FEE \$			
					OR	•					
	(b)	(b) Total additional fee for claims required \$									
				FEI	E PAYM	ENT					
5.		Attached is a check in the sum of \$									
,		Charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384 the sum of \$ A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.									
				FEE	DEFICI	ENCY					
6. If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge 01-2384.								sit Account No.			
	AND/OR										
	$\boxtimes$	If any additional fee for claims is required, charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384.									
7.		Other	:			/					
					R A O S	dichael Tersillo eg. No. 42,180 RMSTRONG TEAS the Metropolitan Squ t. Louis, MO 63102 14-621-5070		E LLP			

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Converse et al.

Art Unit: 3612

Serial No.: 10/715,749

Examiner: H. L. Gutman

Filed: November 18, 2003

For:

A BLOW MOLDED ENERGY ABSORBER

FOR A VEHICLE FRONT END

## **REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313

The following remarks are made in response to the Office Action dated March 22, 2005, and made final.